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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Ramon Vega et al.

Serial No.: 09/845,062

Filed: April 27, 2001

Title: "INK RECEIVING APPARATUS AND METHOD"

Our docket: 60015174Z146

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AMENDMENT

Hon. Commissioner of Patents  
and Trademarks  
Washington, D. C. 20231

Sir:

Responsive to the Official  
Action dated September  
23, please amend this application as follows. A petition for  
one-month extension of time is appended.

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited as  
first-class mail in an envelope addressed to the Commissioner  
of Patents and Trademarks, Washington, D. C. 20231, on

January 22, 2002.

Peter I. Lippman, Registration 22,835

IN THE CLAIMS:

**BEST AVAILABLE COPY**

Kindly change claims 1, 2, 4 through 9, 14, 16, and 18  
through 26, to read as follows. Immediately below are clean  
copies of the claims as amended.

Marked-up copies of the amended claims appear following  
the signature page.

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TRANSMITTAL LETTER FOR RESPONSE/AMENDMENT

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is/are the following in the above-identified application:

Response/Amendment       Petition to extend time to respond  
 New fee as calculated below       Supplemental Declaration  
 No additional fee (Address envelope to "Box Non-Fee Amendments")  
 Other: 2 acknowledgement cards for date-stamping and return

CLAIMS AS AMENDED BY OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY						
(1)	(2) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	(3)	(4) HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	(5) PRESENT EXTRA	(6) RATE	(7) ADDITIONAL FEES
TOTAL CLAIMS	20	MINUS	20	= 0	x \$18	\$ 0
INDEP. CLAIMS	3	MINUS	3	= 0	x \$84	\$ 0
[ ] FIRST PRESENTATION OF A MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM						+
EXTENSION FEE	1ST MONTH	2ND MONTH	3RD MONTH	4TH MONTH		\$ 110
					TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT	\$ 110

Charge \$ 110. to Deposit Account 08-2025. At any time during the pendency of this application, please charge any fees required or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 08-2025 pursuant to 37 CFR 1.25. Additionally please charge any fees to Deposit Account 08-2025 under 37 CFR 1.19, 1.20 and 1.21. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

By

Peter L. Lippman

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Jan. 23, 2003

Date:

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